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SUBJ: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT SADAT ON US
ASSISTANCE TO ZAIRE

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1. DURING MY MEETING WITH FAHMY TODAY, I GAVE HIM
PRESIDENT CARTER'S ORAL MESSAGE FOR PRESIDENT SADAT
ON US ASSISTANCE TO ZAIRE AND ASKED THAT IT BE GOTTEN TO
SADAT ASAP. FAHMY SAID HE WOULD HAVE IT TRANSLATED INTO
ARABIC AT ONCE AND SENT TO THE PRESIDENT AT THE BARRAGES.
HE EXPRESSED APPRECIATION FOR THE INFORMATION.

2. FAHMY ALSO INDICATED THAT SADAT HAD INSTRUCTED HIM
TO INFORM US THAT TWO EGYPTIAN ANTONOV AIRCRAFT HAD
BEEN SENT YESTERDAY TO MOROCCO, AT KING HASSAN'S REQUEST,
TO ASSIST IN AIRLIFTING PROVISIONS FROM MOROCCO TO THE
MOROCCAN TROOPS IN ZAIRE.

3. ASKED ABOUT THE PROMISED EVALUATION OF EGYPTIAN
MILITARY DELEGATION WHICH RECENTLY VISITED ZAIRE, FAHMY
TELEPHONED GAMASY TO TELL HIM OF THE PRESIDENTIAL
EXCHANGE BETWEEN PRESIDENTS CARTER AND SADAT. IT WAS
ARRANGED THAT I WILL CALL ON GAMASY AS SOON AS HE CAN

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RECEIVE ME IN ORDER TO GET THE EGYPTIAN MILITARY
DELEGATION'S EVALUATION.

4. FAHMY INDICATED THAT GOE CONTINUES TO WATCH ZAIRE
SITUATION WITH GREAT INTEREST. HE SAID GOE, TOO, IS
SUPPORTING THE NIGERIAN MEDIATION EFFORT, BUT REMAINS
DETERMINED TO SUPPORT PRESIDENT MUBOTO THROUGH

ALL FEASIBLE MEANS. HE HAD EMPHASIZED TO SOVIET AMBASSADOR
YESTERDAY THAT GOE OPPOSES ALL FOREIGN INTERVENTION
IN AFRICAN AFFAIRS. FAHMY UNDERTOOK TO KEEP US
INFORMED OF ANY INFORMATION THAT COMES TO GOE'S ATTENTION
AND ASKED THAT WE DO THE SAME WITH HIM.
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